

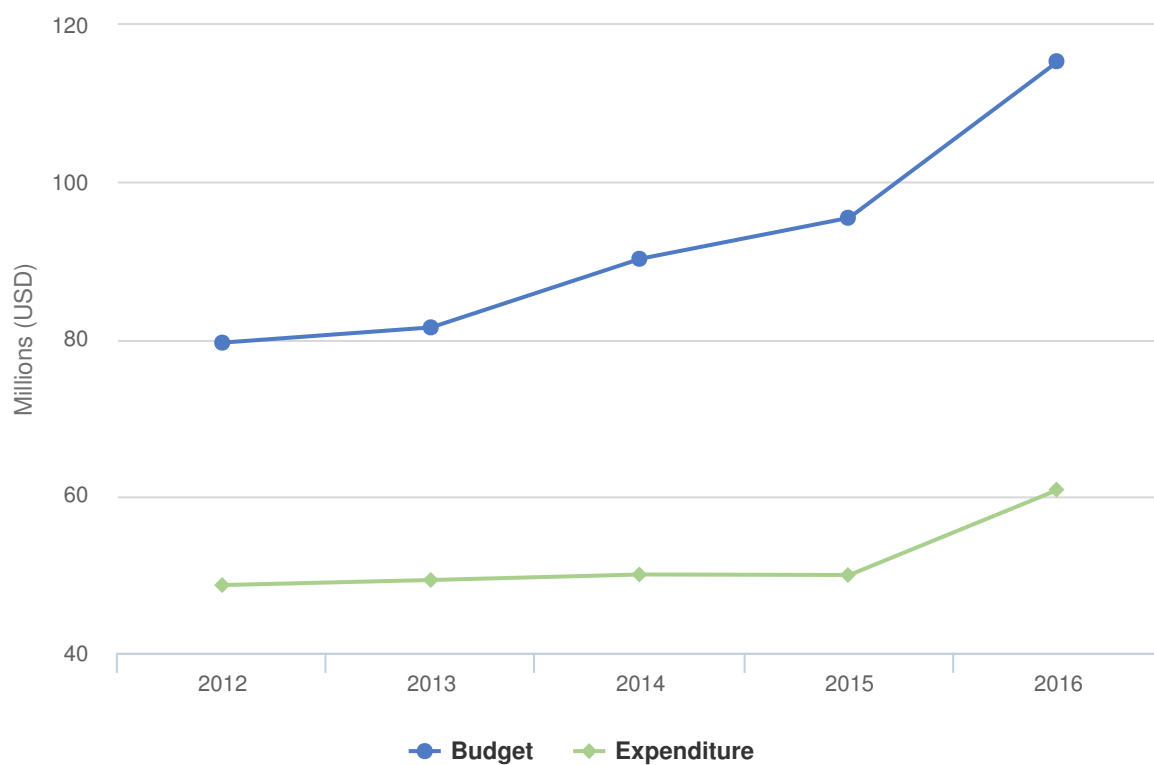
## Subregion: Latin America

| Argentina | Bolivia (Plurinational State of) | Brazil | Chile | Colombia | Costa Rica | Cuba | Ecuador | El Salvador | Guatemala | Honduras | Mexico | Nicaragua | Panama | Paraguay | Peru | Uruguay | Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) |

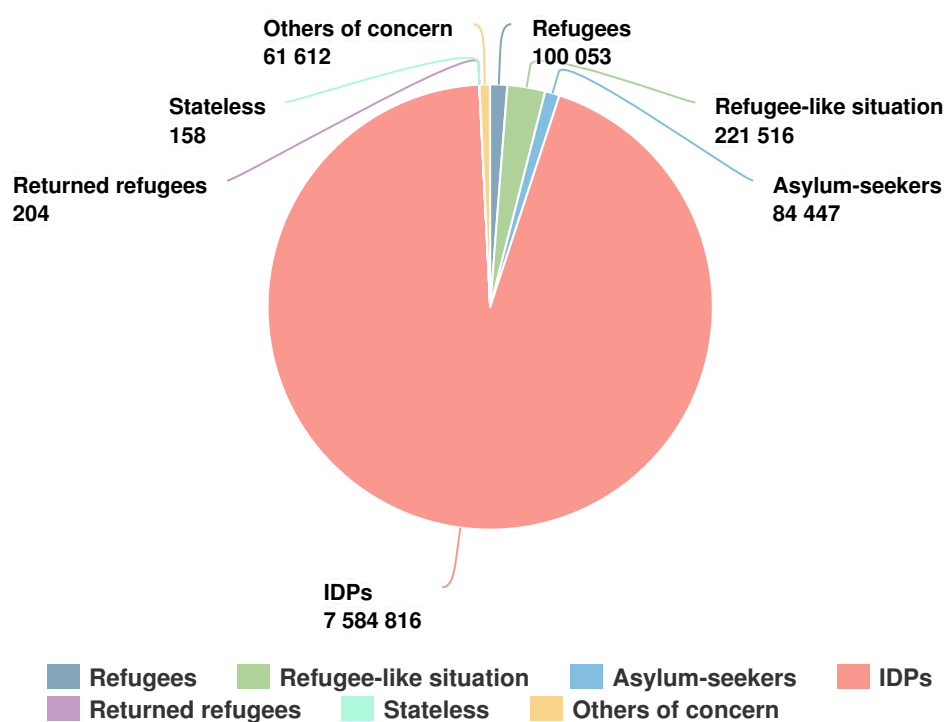


Latest update of camps and office locations 21 Nov 2016.

## Budgets and Expenditure in Subregion Latin America



## People of Concern - 2016



## Response in 2016

The peace agreement signed between the Government of Colombia and the Revolutionary Armed Forces of Colombia (FARC) entered into force on 1 December 2016 and calls on UNHCR to support peacebuilding efforts in relation to the victims' assistance. Throughout the year, UNHCR intervened in over 170 communities to advocate for the protection of internally displaced people (IDPs) and the prevention of new displacement in Colombia.

In Ecuador, the Office promoted successful and innovative local integration processes that enable refugees to lead productive lives and contribute to the host country's development. The Office also delivered emergency assistance to thousands of vulnerable people affected by the 16 April earthquake on the Pacific coast.

In Venezuela, UNHCR and government authorities started a profiling exercise in order to ascertain the number, profiles and needs of people living in refugee-like situations and people at risk of statelessness to inform effective protection mechanisms and solutions.

In 2016, the Office reported increases in asylum applications from nationals of El Salvador, Guatemala and Honduras, the three countries forming the Northern Triangle of Central America (NTCA), in Mexico and Costa Rica of 156 per cent and 100 per cent respectively compared to 2015. This figure is likely to continue to rise in the coming years.

UNHCR launched a supplementary appeal for the NTCA situation in June 2016. Generous donor support enabled the Office to reinforce inter-agency protection networks; expand its presence and partnerships on the ground as well as support the authorities in countries of origin, transit and asylum in the implementation of protection, reception and referral mechanisms; as well as strengthen advocacy and awareness-raising activities. Regional cooperation was also strengthened with the signing of the San Jose Action Statement by the governments of Belize, Canada, Costa Rica, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Mexico, Panama and the United States.

UNHCR also continued to strengthen its strategic partnerships with government, civil society and private sector counterparts in Southern Cone countries to consolidate protection space, namely in the establishment of resettlement programmes, humanitarian visas and other forms of admission, as well as the implementation of local integration initiatives.



## 2016 Voluntary Contributions to Latin America | USD

Earmarking / Donor	Pillar 1 Refugee programme	Pillar 4 IDP projects	All pillars	Total
<b>Latin America overall</b>				
Canada	1,000,000	0	0	1,000,000
Private donors in Switzerland	0	0	3,095	3,095
United States of America	6,050,000	0	13,250,000	19,300,000
<b>Latin America overall subtotal</b>	<b>7,050,000</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>13,253,095</b>	<b>20,303,095</b>
<b>Argentina Regional Office</b>				
Argentina	0	0	123,420	123,420
<b>Argentina Regional Office subtotal</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>123,420</b>	<b>123,420</b>
<b>Brazil</b>				
Brazil	619,419	0	43,359	662,778
<b>Brazil subtotal</b>	<b>619,419</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>43,359</b>	<b>662,778</b>
<b>Colombia</b>				
European Union	0	434,047	0	434,047
Private donors in Switzerland	0	60,000	0	60,000
Republic of Korea	0	420,000	0	420,000
Spain	0	670,391	0	670,391
Switzerland	0	914,634	0	914,634
<b>Colombia subtotal</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,499,073</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>2,499,073</b>
<b>Ecuador</b>				
Central Emergency Response Fund (CERF)	0	423,929	0	423,929
Denmark	30,000	0	0	30,000
European Union	566,251	0	0	566,251
Private donors in Australia	0	44,430	0	44,430
Private donors in Canada	0	35,279	0	35,279
Private donors in China	0	116,971	0	116,971
Private donors in Germany	0	112,111	0	112,111
Private donors in Italy	0	42,140	0	42,140
Private donors in Spain	2,011	470,843	477,707	950,561
Private donors in Switzerland	0	42,149	0	42,149

<b>Earmarking / Donor</b>	<b>Pillar 1 Refugee programme</b>	<b>Pillar 4 IDP projects</b>	<b>All pillars</b>	<b>Total</b>
Private donors in Thailand	0	39,940	0	39,940
Private donors in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	0	36,787	0	36,787
Private donors in the United States of America	0	461,007	75,000	536,007
UN Trust Fund for Human Security	97,743	0	0	97,743
<b><i>Ecuador subtotal</i></b>	<b>696,006</b>	<b>1,825,585</b>	<b>552,707</b>	<b>3,074,298</b>
<b>Mexico</b>				
Mexico	0	0	25,000	25,000
Private donors in Mexico	0	0	5,721	5,721
<b><i>Mexico subtotal</i></b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30,721</b>	<b>30,721</b>
<b>Panama Regional Office</b>				
European Union	906,644	0	0	906,644
Spain	223,464	0	0	223,464
<b><i>Panama Regional Office subtotal</i></b>	<b>1,130,108</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1,130,108</b>
<b>Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)</b>				
European Union	679,502	0	0	679,502
<b><i>Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) subtotal</i></b>	<b>679,502</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>679,502</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>10,175,035</b>	<b>4,324,658</b>	<b>14,003,303</b>	<b>28,502,996</b>

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